

Oral Histories by Institute or Center

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NIH Offices

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NIH Office of the Director (OD)

The Office of the Director is the central office at NIH for its 27 Institutes and Centers. The OD is responsible for setting policy for NIH and for planning, managing, and coordinating the programs and activities of all the NIH components. OD program offices include the Office of AIDS Research and the Office of Research on Women's Health, among others.

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NIH Institutes

NCI

National Cancer Institute (NCI) — 1937

NCI leads a national effort to eliminate the suffering and death due to cancer. Through basic and clinical biomedical research and training, NCI conducts and supports research that will lead to a future in which we can prevent cancer before it starts, identify cancers that do develop at the earliest stage, eliminate cancers through innovative treatment interventions, and biologically control those cancers that we cannot eliminate so they become manageable, chronic diseases.

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- [Anacker, Robert L. 1984](#)
- [Anderson, Norman 1984](#)
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- [Gottesman, Max 2008](#)
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- [Hanover, John A. 2009](#)
- [Hargett, Mason V. 1985](#)
- [Hayflick, Leonard 1994](#)
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- [Herman, Samuel 1995](#)
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- [Holland, James F. 2001](#)
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- [Huebner, Harriet 1995](#)
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- [Huff, James 2004](#)
- [Kaluzny, Arnold G. 2008](#)
- [Kelloff, Gary 1995](#)
- [Kotin, Paul 2000](#)
- [Larson, Daniel 2020](#)
- [Law, Lloyd 2001](#)
- [Liebelt, Annabel G. 1998](#)
- [Loo, Ti Li 1998](#)
- [Manaker, Robert 1995](#)
- [Marks, Paul S. 1999](#)
- [McGowan, Dorothy 2017](#)
- [Meyer, Gerald F. 1996](#)
- [Miller, Robert 1995](#)
- [Milner, John A. 2008](#)
- [Minasian, Lori 2008](#)
- [Moloney, John 1995](#)
- [Morrison, Bayard "Bud" 1995](#)
- [Murayama, Makio 2001](#)
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- [Schneiderman, Marvin 1996](#)
- [Scolnick, Edward 1998](#)
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- [Varmus, Harold 1995](#)
- [Waldmann, Thomas 1990](#)
- [Willingham, Mark C. 2008](#)
- [Wong-Staal, Flossie 1997](#)
- [Yarchoan, Robert 1998](#)
- [Zbar, Berton 2016](#)
- [Ziegler, John 1990](#)
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- [Zubrod, Gordon 1995](#)

NEI

National Eye Institute — 1968

The National Eye Institute's mission is to conduct and support research, training, health information dissemination, and other programs with respect to blinding eye diseases, visual disorders, mechanisms of visual function, preservation of sight, and the special health problems and requirements of the blind.

- [Angle, Joanne 2006](#)
- [Becker, Bernard 2004](#)
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- [Davis, Mike 2005](#)
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- [Goldstein, Murray 1999](#)
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- [Kennedy, Thomas 2004](#)
- [Kinoshita, Jin 2005](#)
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- [Leventhal, Carl 2004](#)
- [Lierman, Terry 2005](#)
- [McManus, Edward 2005](#)

- [Nakajima, Akira 2005](#)
- [Nussenblatt, Robert B. 1990](#)
- [OBrien, Paul 2005](#)
- [Raub, William 2006](#)
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- [Sherman, John 2004](#)
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- [Straatsma, Bradley 2005](#)
- [Weeks, David 2005](#)
- [Wurtz, Robert H. 2015](#)

NHLBI

National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute — 1976

National Heart and Lung Institute — 1969

National Heart Institute — 1948


The National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute (NHLBI) provides global leadership for a research, training, and education program to promote the prevention and treatment of heart, lung, and blood diseases and enhance the health of all individuals so that they can live longer and more fulfilling lives. The NHLBI stimulates basic discoveries about the causes of disease, enables the translation of basic discoveries into clinical practice, fosters training and mentoring of emerging scientists and physicians, and communicates research advances to the public.

- [Axelrod, Julius 1996 A](#)
- [Axelrod, Julius 1996 B](#)
- [Axelrod, Julius 2003](#)
- [Berger, Robert L. 2002](#)
- [Berliner, Robert W. 2000](#)
- [Berliner, Robert W. 2008](#)
- [Building 3 Video Tour 2001](#)
- [Chernoff, Amoz 1993](#)
- [Dracup, Kathleen 2009](#)
- [Keiser, Harry 1998](#)
- [Knutti, Ralph E. 1972 A](#)
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- [Lenfant, Claude 1999 A](#)
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- [Neuman, Keir 2020](#)
- [Nirenberg, Marshall 1984](#)
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- [Stadtman Earl 2001 A](#)
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- [Stadtman, Earl 2001 C](#)
- [Stadtman, Earl 2001 D](#)
- [Stadtman, Thressa 2001](#)
- [Wen, Han 2020](#)

NHGRI

National Human Genome Research Institute — 1997
National Center for Human Genome Research — 1989

NHGRI is devoted to advancing health through genome research. The Institute led NIH's contribution to the Human Genome Project, which was successfully completed in 2003 ahead of schedule and under budget. Building on the foundation laid by the sequencing of the human genome, NHGRI's work now encompasses a broad range of research aimed at expanding understanding of human biology and improving human health. In addition, a critical part of NHGRI's mission continues to be the study of the ethical, legal and social implications of genome research.

 For NHGRI's oral history collection featuring discussions with influential figures in the field of genomics and the history of the institute, [click here](#).

- [Jordan, Elke 2002](#)
- [Wivel, Nelson 1996](#)

NIA

National Institute on Aging — 1974

NIA leads a national program of research on the biomedical, social, and behavioral aspects of the aging process; the prevention of age-related diseases and disabilities; and the promotion of a better quality of life for all older Americans.

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NIAAA

National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism — 1970

NIAAA conducts research focused on improving the treatment and prevention of alcoholism and alcohol-related problems to reduce the enormous health, social, and economic consequences of this disease.

- [Roumel, Theodore J. 2004](#)

NIAID

National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases — 1955
National Microbiological Institute — 1948

NIAID research strives to understand, treat, and ultimately prevent the myriad infectious, immunologic, and allergic diseases that threaten millions of human lives.

- [Andrews, Justin M. 1964](#)
- [Beeman, Edward S. 2004](#)
- [Brish, Peter 1970](#)
- [Burgdorfer, Willy 1986](#)
- [Burruss, Harry 1986](#)
- [Casper, Elizabeth 1985](#)
- [Chanock, Robert 2001 A](#)
- [Chanock, Robert 2001 B](#)
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- [Chesebro, Bruce 2004](#)
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- [Dunnick, June 2004](#)
- [Fauci, Anthony S. 1986](#)
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- [Hadlow, William 2004](#)
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- [Kirschstein, Ruth L. 1999 H](#)
- [Kohls, Glen M. 1985](#)
- [Krause, Richard 1988](#)
- [Kwon-Chung, Kyung-Joo "June" 2018](#)
- [Lane, Clifford 1990](#)
- [Macher, Abraham 1993](#)
- [Mage, Rose G. 2018](#)
- [Metcalf, Dean D. undated](#)
- [Moss, Bernard 2018](#)
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- [Priola, Suzette A. "Sue" 2004](#)
- [Purcell, Robert 2005](#)
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- [Race, Richard 2004](#)
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- [Shelokov, Alexis 2005](#)
- [Warren, McWilson "Mac" 2005](#)
- [Whitescarver, Jack 1990](#)
- [Wyatt, Richard G. 1990](#)
- [Berger, Edward A. 2017](#)

NIAMS

National Institute of Arthritis and Musculoskeletal and Skin Diseases — 1986
National Institute of Arthritis, Diabetes, and Digestive and Kidney Diseases — 1981
National Institute of Arthritis, Metabolism, and Digestive Diseases — 1972
National Institute of Arthritis and Metabolic Diseases — 1950
Experimental Biology and Medicine Institute — 1948

NIAMS supports research into the causes, treatment, and prevention of arthritis and musculoskeletal and skin diseases, the training of basic and clinical scientists to carry out this research, and the dissemination of information on research progress in these diseases.

- [Ames, Bruce 2003](#)
- [Katz, Stephen I.](#)
- [Metzger, Henry 1998](#)
- [Metzger, Henry 2001](#)
- [Rall, Joseph E. 1998](#)
- [Rall, Joseph Edward 2000](#)
- [Singer, Maxine 1998](#)

NIBIB

National Institute of Biomedical Imaging and Bioengineering — 2000

The mission of the National Institute of Biomedical Imaging and Bioengineering (NIBIB) is to improve health by leading the development and accelerating the application of biomedical technologies. The Institute is committed to integrating the physical and engineering sciences with the life sciences to advance basic research and medical care.

- [Guay-Broder, Colleen 2005](#)
- [Nagy, Edward 2005](#)
- [Shroff, Hari 2020](#)

NICHD

Eunice Kennedy Shriver National Institute of Child Health and Human Development — 1962

NICHD research on fertility, pregnancy, growth, development, and medical rehabilitation strives to ensure that every child is born healthy and wanted and grows up free from disease and disability.

- [Alexander, Duane 2005](#)
- [Baldwin, Wendy 2002](#)
- [Basser, Peter 2005](#)
- [Leikin, Sergey 2020](#)
- [Levine, Arthur S.](#)
- [Vaitukaitis, Judith L. 2003](#)

NIDCD

National Institute on Deafness and Other Communication Disorders — 1988

NIDCD conducts and supports biomedical research and research training on normal mechanisms as well as diseases and disorders of hearing, balance, smell, taste, voice, speech, and language that affect 46 million Americans.

- [Fox, Geraldine Gietz 2018](#)
- [Ruben, Robert J. 2018](#)

NIDCR

National Institute of Dental and Craniofacial Research — 1998

National Institute of Dental Research — 1948

NIDCR provides leadership for a national research program designed to understand, treat, and ultimately prevent the infectious and inherited craniofacial-oral-dental diseases and disorders that compromise millions of human lives.

- [Arnold, Francis A., Jr. 1964 A](#)
- [Arnold, Francis A., Jr. 1964 C](#)
- [Arnold, Francis A., Jr. 1964 D](#)
- [Arnold, Francis A., Jr. 1964 E](#)
- [Arnold, Francis A., Jr., 1964 B](#)
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- [Fox, Philip C. 1998](#)
- [Gracely, Richard 1998](#)
- [Kenshalo, Daniel 2000](#)
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- [Laskin, Daniel 1999](#)
- [Max, Mitchell 1999](#)
- [Notkins, Abner L. 2017](#)
- [Ruda, M.A. 1999](#)

NIDDK

National Institute of Diabetes and Digestive and Kidney Diseases — 1988
National Institute of Arthritis, Diabetes, and Digestive and Kidney Diseases — 1981
National Institute of Arthritis, Metabolism, and Digestive Diseases — 1972
National Institute of Arthritis and Metabolic Diseases — 1950
Experimental Biology and Medicine Institute — 1948

The mission of the National Institute of Diabetes and Digestive and Kidney Diseases (NIDDK) is to conduct and support medical research and research training and to disseminate science-based information on diabetes and other endocrine and metabolic diseases; digestive diseases, nutritional disorders, and obesity; and kidney, urologic, and hematologic diseases, to improve people's health and quality of life.

- [Becker, Edwin "Ted" 2005 A](#)
- [Becker, Edwin "Ted" 2005 B](#)
- [Chow, Carson 2020](#)
- [Clore, Marius 2020](#)
- [Daft, Floyd S. 1964](#)
- [Davies, David R. 1999 A](#)
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- [Rosner, Judah L. 1999](#)
- [Schechter, Alan 2001](#)
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- [Singer, Maxine 1998](#)
- [Spiegel, Allen 2019](#)
- [Tabor, Herbert 1993](#)
- [Tabor, Herbert 2017](#)
- [Tabor, Herbert 2019 C](#)
- [Tycko, Robert 2020](#)

NIDA

National Institute on Drug Abuse — 1974

The mission of the National Institute on Drug Abuse (NIDA) is to advance science on the causes and consequences of drug use and addiction and to apply that knowledge to improve individual and public health.

- [Volkow, Nora 2005](#)

NIEHS

National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences — 1969

The mission of the National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences is to discover how the environment affects people in order to promote healthier lives.

- [Barrett, Carl J. 2004](#)
- [Bucher, John 2003](#)
- [Cannon, Ronald 2003](#)

- [Cidlowski, John 2017](#)
- [Dunnick, June 2004](#)
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- [Eling, Thomas 2017](#)
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- [Rogan, Walter 2016](#)
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- [Schwetz, Bern 2004](#)
- [Shelby, Michael 2004](#)
- [Tennant, Ray 2003](#)
- [Wilcox, Allen](#)
- [Wilson, Samuel 2004](#)
- [Witt, Kristine 2004](#)

NIGMS

National Institute of General Medical Sciences — 1962

The National Institute of General Medical Sciences (NIGMS) supports basic research that increases understanding of biological processes and lays the foundation for advances in disease diagnosis, treatment and prevention. NIGMS-funded scientists investigate how living systems work at a range of levels, from molecules and cells to tissues, whole organisms and populations. The Institute also supports research in certain clinical areas, primarily those that affect multiple organ systems. To assure the vitality and continued productivity of the research enterprise, NIGMS provides leadership in training the next generation of scientists, in enhancing the diversity of the scientific workforce, and in developing research capacities throughout the country.

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- [Kirschstein, Ruth L. 1999 G](#)
- [Kirschstein, Ruth L. 1999 H](#)

NIMH

National Institute of Mental Health — 1949

NIMH provides national leadership dedicated to understanding, treating, and preventing mental illnesses through basic research on the brain and behavior, and through clinical, epidemiological, and services research.

- [Anthony, Bruno 2002](#)
- [Berman, Karen 2005](#)
- [Birren, James E. 2002](#)
- [Blair, James 2005](#)
- [Blough, Donald 2001](#)
- [Botwinick, Jack 2001](#)
- [Carlson, Virgil 2002](#)
- [Chuang, De-Maw 2015](#)
- [Cohen, Robert A. 2002 A](#)
- [Cohen, Robert A. 2002 B](#)
- [Cohen, Robert A. 2002 C](#)
- [Cohen, Robert M. 2005](#)
- [Coppola, Richard 2002](#)
- [Davies, David R. 1999 A](#)
- [Davies, David R. 1999 B](#)
- [Dowling-Smith, Jessie P. undated](#)
- [Edgerton, Jesse Wilbert 1999](#)
- [Goldberg, Elkhonon 2002](#)
- [Goldston, Stephen 1999](#)
- [Handlon, Joseph H. 2002](#)
- [Hyman, Steve 2001](#)
- [Ingraham, Loring 2002](#)
- [Innis, Robert 2005](#)
- [Katz, Martin 1995](#)
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- [Katz, Martin 2007](#)
- [Kety, Seymour S. 1995](#)
- [Knee, Ruth no date](#)
- [Mann, Lee S. 2002](#)
- [Mirsky, Allan F. 2001 A](#)
- [Mirsky, Allan F. 2001 B](#)
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- [Mishkin, Mortimer 2001 B](#)
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- [Murray, Elisabeth 2002](#)
- [Parloff, Morris 2002 A](#)
- [Parloff, Morris 2002 B](#)
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- [Pine, Daniel S. 2005](#)
- [Rapoport, Judith 2017](#)
- [Roumel, Theodore J. 2004](#)
- [Shakow, David 1976](#)
- [Silberman, Edward 2002](#)

- [Sokoloff, Louis 2005](#)
- [Streicher, Eugene 2002](#)
- [Ungerleider, Leslie 2002](#)
- [Weinberger, Daniel 2005](#)
- [Zahn, Theodore Paul 2001](#)

NIMHD

National Institute on Minority Health and Health Disparities — 2010
National Center on Minority Health and Health Disparities — 2000
Office of Research on Minority Health — 1993

The mission of NIMHD is to lead scientific research to improve minority health and eliminate health disparities. To accomplish its mission, NIMHD plans, reviews, coordinates, and evaluates all minority health and health disparities research and activities of the National Institutes of Health; conducts and supports research in minority health and health disparities; promotes and supports the training of a diverse research workforce; translates and disseminates research information; and fosters innovative collaborations and partnerships.

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NINDS

National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke — 1988
National Institute of Neurological and Communicative Disorders and Stroke — 1975
National Institute of Neurological Diseases and Stroke — 1968
National Institute of Neurological Diseases — 1968
National Institute of Neurological Diseases and Blindness — 1950

The mission of NINDS is to seek fundamental knowledge about the brain and nervous system and to use that knowledge to reduce the burden of neurological disease. To accomplish this goal the NINDS supports and conducts basic, translational, and clinical research on the normal and diseased nervous system. The Institute also fosters the training of investigators in the basic and clinical neurosciences, and seeks better understanding, diagnosis, treatment, and prevention of neurological disorders.

- [Brown, Paul 2004](#)
- [Enoch, Jay 2006](#)
- [Gibbs, Joseph 2000](#)
- [Hallet, Mark 2005](#)
- [Koretsky, Alan 2005](#)
- [Streicher, Eugene 2002](#)

NINR

National Institute of Nursing Research — 1986
National Center for Nursing Research — 1986

The mission of the National Institute of Nursing Research (NINR) is to promote and improve the health of individuals, families, communities, and populations. NINR supports and conducts clinical and basic research and research training on health and illness across the lifespan to build the scientific foundation for clinical practice, prevent disease and disability, manage and eliminate symptoms caused by illness, and improve palliative and end-of-life care.

- [Aaronson, Lauren 2009](#)
- [Aiken, Linda 2008](#)
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- [Bulger, Roger 2008](#)
- [Dracup, Kathleen 2009](#)
- [Elliott, Jo Eleanor 2008](#)
- [Felton, Geraldene 2008](#)
- [Grady, Christine 1997](#)
- [Grady, Patricia 2009](#)
- [Grey, Margaret 2009](#)
- [Heinrich, Janet 2008 A](#)
- [Heinrich, Janet 2008 B](#)

- [Heinrich, Janet 2008 C](#)
- [Hinds, Pamela 2009](#)
- [Hinshaw, Ada Sue 2008 A](#)
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- [Kirschstein, Ruth L. 2008 I](#)
- [Larson, Elaine 2009](#)
- [Merritt, Doris 2008](#)
- [Moritz, Patricia 2008](#)
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NLM

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NLM collects, organizes, and makes available biomedical science information to scientists, health professionals, and the public. The Library's Web-based databases, including PubMed/Medline and MedlinePlus, are used extensively around the world. NLM conducts and supports research in biomedical communications; creates information resources for molecular biology, biotechnology, toxicology, and environmental health; and provides grant and contract support for training, medical library resources, and biomedical informatics and communications research.



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NIH Centers

CC

NIH Clinical Center — 1953

The NIH Clinical Center, America's research hospital, provides a versatile clinical research environment enabling the NIH mission to improve human health by investigating the pathogenesis of disease; conducting first-in-human clinical trials with an emphasis on rare diseases and diseases of high public health impact; developing state-of-the-art diagnostic, preventive, and therapeutic interventions; training the current and next generations of clinical researchers; and, ensuring that clinical research is ethical, efficient, and of high scientific quality.

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CIT

Center for Information Technology — 1998
Division of Computer Research and Technology — 1964

CIT incorporates the power of modern computers into the biomedical programs and administrative procedures of the NIH by focusing on three primary activities: conducting computational bioscience research, developing computer systems, and providing computer facilities.

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CSR

Center for Scientific Review — 1997
Division of Research Grants — 1946

The Center for Scientific Review (CSR) is the portal for NIH grant applications and their review for scientific merit. CSR organizes the peer review groups or study sections that evaluate the majority (70%) of the research grant applications sent to NIH. CSR also receives all grant applications for NIH, as well as for some other components of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS). Since 1946, the CSR mission has remained clear and timely: to see that NIH grant applications receive fair, independent, expert, and timely reviews — free from inappropriate influences — so NIH can fund the most promising research.

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FIC

Fogarty International Center — 1968

FIC promotes and supports scientific research and training internationally to reduce disparities in global health.

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NCATS

National Center for Advancing Translational Sciences — 2011

The mission of NCATS is to catalyze the generation of innovative methods and technologies that will enhance the development, testing, and implementation of diagnostics and therapeutics across a wide range of human diseases and conditions.

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NCCIH

National Center for Complementary and Integrative Health — 2014
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The mission of NCCIH is to define, through rigorous scientific investigation, the usefulness and safety of complementary and integrative health interventions and their roles in improving health and health care.

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